

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:)
RALF BECK et al) RADIATOR WITH SIDE FLAT TUBES)
Serial No. 10/658,972) Group Art Unit 3743)
Filed September 10, 2003) Examiner Tho V. Duong

COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Mail Stop Issue Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance contained in the Notice of Allowance dated November 24, 2004, Applicants provide the following comments.

37 CFR 1.8 CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on February 24, 2005.

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REMARKS

The Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance appears to use a summarization of the language from one or more of the allowed claims. It is Applicants' belief, and the payment of the issue fee is submitted in reliance on this belief, that each of the claims was allowed based on the specific language in the claim, and not on a summarization of the language contained in the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, and that any inconsistency between the Examiner's summarization and the actual language of the claims should not result in an importation of limitations into the claims that are not expressly recited in the claims. Applicants expressly request notification as soon as possible should the Examiner disagree with any of the foregoing. Absent such notification, each of the claims should be considered as allowed based on the express language on the claims, and no limitation should be imported into the claims based on the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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